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**BATTLE SHIP OREGON**

Uncle Sam's Most Powerful War Vessel Launched Yesterday.

San Francisco Bay Alive with Decorated Craft of All Kinds and the Land Black with Cheering Spectators.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Shortly before noon to-day the battle ship Oregon, the first vessel of her class constructed on the Pacific coast, was launched from the ways at the Union Iron works, in the presence of one of the greatest crowds of people that ever assembled there to witness a similar event.

The representatives of the army and navy, city officials, general government officials, and of the States of California and Oregon, and a large number of invited guests were present in the shipyard, while on every street and on every hillside and house top from which a view of the works could be obtained thousands of enthusiastic spectators were gathered.

That part of the bay directly in front of the Union Iron works was entirely occupied by a great fleet of sampans, tugs and craft of every description, all decorated with bunting and loaded down with hundreds of people eager to witness the ceremonies.

A number of small government vessels were among the throng lying in the bay, and at the moment the last stays were knocked away and the several thousand tons of steel commenced to glide down the ways, a hundred salutes were fired, bands of music played national airs, thousands of spectators gave cheer after cheer, and every steam whistle within a radius of a mile of the works joined in the chorus.

The launch was entirely successful, and the new battle ship now lies in front of the Union Iron works, awaiting her completion, which will be in a few days.

A temporary platform had been constructed around the bow of the vessel, and on this the army and navy officials, representatives of Oregon and California and other guests specially invited by the Union Iron works, were gathered to witness the launching ceremony.

At 12 o'clock the reading of a poem, the delivery of prayer and the reading of a poem, it was within three minutes of 12 o'clock that the last stay was knocked away by the workmen. Miss Eugenia Shelby, representing the city of Portland, touched the bow of the ship with a mallet, and the new battle ship now lies in front of the Union Iron works, awaiting her completion, which will be in a few days.

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## STONE WAS NOT ALONE

Officers Waiting for His Third Confession for Evidence.

Many Things Point to Kays and Williams as Having Been Accomplices in the Wratten Murders.

SPECIAL TO THE INDIANAPOLIS JOURNAL.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Oct. 26.—The report has leaked out here this evening that Stone, the self-confessed murderer, will give the authorities evidence that will establish beyond a doubt the fact that he did not kill the Wratten family single handed, but really had one or two confederates. He is such a notorious liar that he cannot be believed on all points, even under such extraordinary circumstances. That his third confession is forthcoming is believed by many who are on the inside, and when it comes it is believed that he will implicate Bill Kays and Lou Williams. There are good reasons to expect this. In the first place, Stone was unable to tell the whereabouts of the weapons when arrested, and intimated to an officer that if given the privilege of a short interview with Williams he would be able to tell where they were concealed. He stole a short talk with Williams unobserved by the guards in prison, and in a few hours afterwards made known to the officers that the two had been in a woods pasture, and that he had found a half a dozen pistols from the Wratten home, alongside a certain log, and covered with oak leaves. The tools were found exactly in the place stated by Stone, and are now in this city.

Another instance gave strength to the belief that Stone had help. The bloodhounds followed the trail to Stone's house, passed through the yard and down the road, crossing the river, and for some distance into Davies county. Stone stated in his confession that it was the purpose of Williams to take Kays to his home, in Dubois county, directly after the murder, and that the two men accompanied him as far as his house, where the trip parted. The other two proceeded on their way toward the river.

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## DEMOCRATIC SCHEME

An Effort to Wean Colored Men from the Republican Ranks.

Shouters Hired to Organize Negro Voters into Various Parties in the Hope of Aiding Democracy.

RASH PROMISES OF OFFICES

Cleveland's Friends Said to Be Engineering the Movement.

The Scheme Denounced by an Intelligent Colored Man—McKinley's Majority May Exceed 40,000.

SPECIAL TO THE INDIANAPOLIS JOURNAL.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Since the serious split in the Democratic party over the silver question, and since it has become plain that in the campaign of 1896 a large portion of that party will refuse to support the platform on which he is nominated, "straddler" the silver problem, extraordinary efforts have been made to organize the colored voters against the Republican organization. Promises of patronage have been made by representatives of President Cleveland's administration, and visions of fat offices under an independent administration four years hence have led some of the dark-skinned Democratic shouters to call conferences and flood the country with

demagogues from the national capital. There have been held in Washington since Congress convened no less than three conventions or conferences by the negro organizers. All of these meetings have been for the express purpose of aligning negro voters against the Republican party. It made no difference whether they supported the Democratic ticket or the free silver or anti-monopoly ticket; if they withdrew from the Republican organization the Democrats were successful.

This organization of negro Republicans into various parties in opposition to the one which secured them their freedom and ballot is as directly a Democratic movement as was the Prohibition movement of years ago in Republican States. The Prohibition movement succeeded in breaking up Republican organizations in some localities